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BOX PATENT APPLICATION
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RE: *U.S. Patent Application Entitled "IN-RUSH CURRENT CONTROLLER"*
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are:

- (1) 20-page patent specification with 21 claims and an abstract (also Figures 1- 4 on 4 sheets);
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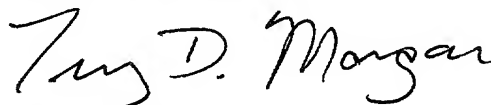
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